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## **Legislative Black Caucus to Call on Real Estate Industry to End Double Standard in Building Security**

**WHEN:** Thursday, August 23, 2007  
10:45 a.m. to 11 a.m.

**WHERE:** State Capital West Steps (Sacramento)

**WHO:** Invited Members of the Legislative Black Caucus include Assemblymember **Mervyn Dymally**, Chairman; Assembly Majority Leader **Karen Bass**, Vice-Chair; Senator **Mark Ridley-Thomas**; Senator **Edward Vincent**; Assemblymember **Wilmer Amina Carter**; Assemblymember **Mike Davis**; Assemblymember **Curren Price**; Assemblymember **Laura Richardson**; and Assemblymember **Sandre Swanson**.

**Rev. Dr. Lewis E. Logan II**, Senior Pastor Bethel A.M.E. Church, Stand for Security Coalition; **Faith Culbreath**, President SEIU SOULA Local 2006; Security Officers include **Michael Johnson** (LA); **Cheri Plummer** (SF); more.

**WHY:** LBC calls on corporate real estate industry leaders to end the double standard when it comes to private security officers that protect their assets. LBC to release report "*Separate and Unequal: How Corporate Real Estate Can End Poverty Conditions in Building Security*". LBC supports Stand for Security, the largest movement of African American workers in history lifting themselves and their families/communities out of poverty. The study was prepared for the caucus by the Stand for Security Coalition of clergy, congregations, and community leaders.

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